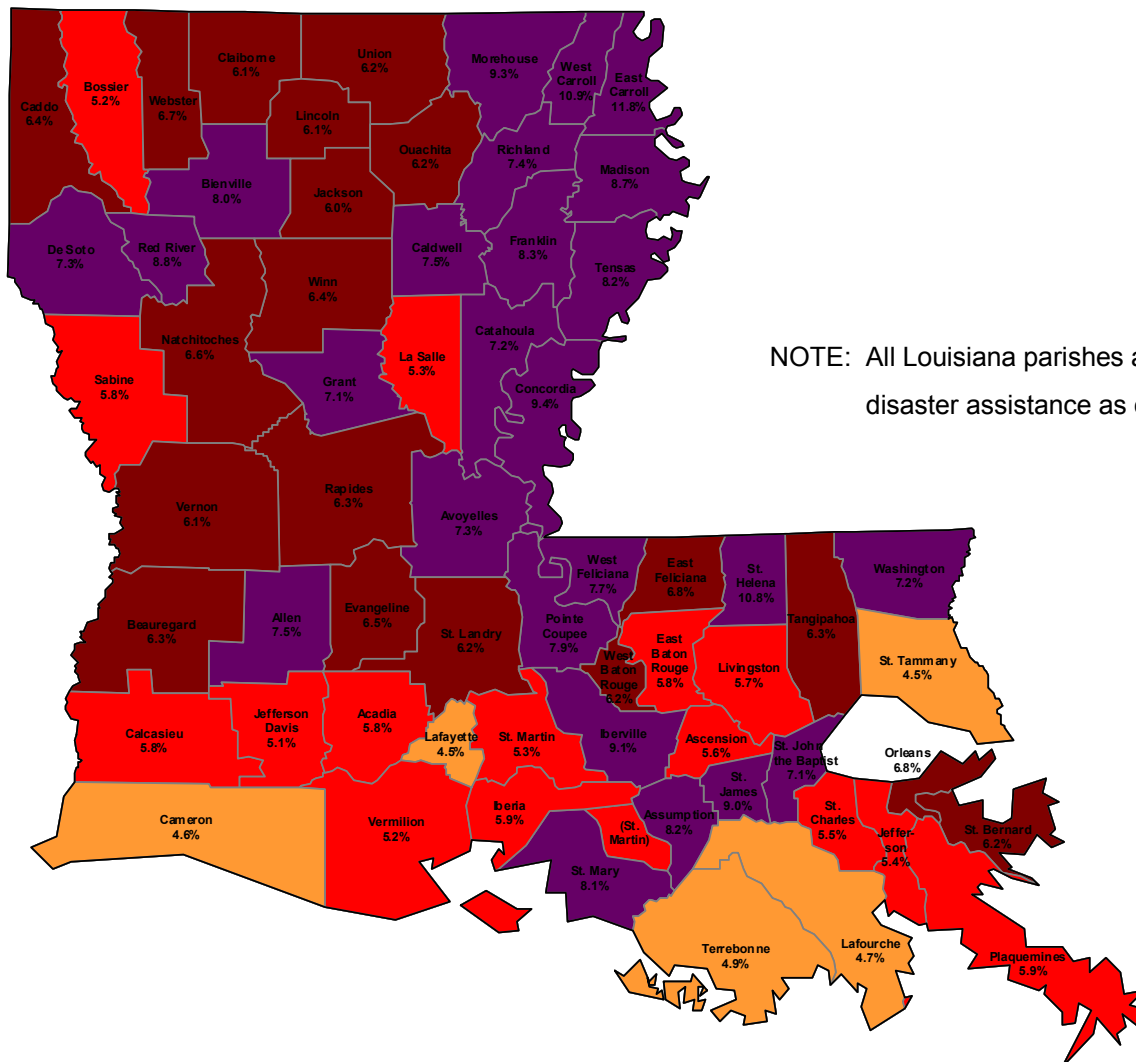


Louisiana, August 2005, not seasonally adjusted

(State rate = 6.0%; U.S. rate = 4.9%)



NOTE: All Louisiana parishes are eligible for disaster assistance as of August 29.

Unemployment Rate

